



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 6747  
Rick Santorum  
Rick Santorum for President, Inc.  
and Nadine Maenza in her official  
capacity as treasurer

Dear Ms. Mitchell:


On August 19, 2013, the Federal Election Commission notified your clients, Rick Santorum and Rick Santorum for President, Inc. and Nadine Maenza in her official capacity as treasurer, of a complaint alleging that your clients had violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act").

On September 29, 2015, the Commission considered the complaint but was equally divided on whether to (1) find reason to believe Rick Santorum for President, Inc. and Nadine Maenza in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e) and (2) take no action at this time as to Rick Santorum. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003) and Statement of Policy Regarding Placing First General Counsel's Reports on the Public Record, 74 Fed. Reg. 66132 (Dec. 14, 2009). A Statement of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision will follow.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

  
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